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In re application of: Hartmut BOHNET et al.

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For: FIXING DEVICE FOR PRODUCING AN ANCHORING IN PANELS,
ESPECIALLY PANELS CONSISTING OF GLASS

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Art Unit: 3677

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 27, 2007

Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and comments.